

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of

Applicant:	Lori Anne Gardi et al	)	Confirmation No.	3255
		)	Group Art Unit:	3737
Application No.:	10/585,984	)	Examiner:	Chao, Elmer
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Filed:	July 18, 2007	)		
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For:	ULTRASOUND IMAGING)			
	SYSTEM AND METHODS)			
	OF IMAGING USING )			
	THE SAME )			

**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

HONORABLE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS  
AND TRADEMARKS  
Washington, D.C. 20231  
U.S.A.

Sir:

This is in response to the outstanding Official Action dated December 24, 2008 issued in respect of the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 16 of this paper.